

All The News of INDIANA and MICHIGAN

MORE CHILDREN ATTEND SCHOOL

Report of State Superintendent
Shows Healthy Increase for
This Year—St. Joseph Coun-
ty Ranks Fourth.

Special to The News-Times.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 14.—According to a statement for the office of Charles A. Greathouse, superintendent of public instruction, the total enrollment in the public schools of the state during this school year is 543,497. The total number enrolled during the school year of 1912-1913 was 537,000. This shows an increase of 16,497 children for this year. The total average daily attendance so far this year has been 441,168.

The comparison of the total enrollment in the township schools, town schools and city schools during the two school years shows a gain this year for the township schools and city schools are a slight falling off for the town schools.

Of the total number of children enrolled this year 271,695 were white males and 265,800 were white females. Colored males numbered 5,348 and colored females numbered 5,614.

There was a gradual diminution in the totals this year as each succeeding grade from the first was reached and the usual large discrepancy existed between the eighth grade and the first grade of high school.

The total number of children enrolled in St. Joseph county this year is 14,874 and the average daily attendance is 11,722. In this respect St. Joseph county ranks fourth, being exceeded in total enrollment and in average daily attendance only by Marion, Lake and Vigo counties.

GOSSIP DRIVES WARSAW FARMER TO SUICIDE

Moses Dausman, Near Milford, Hangs

Himself to Rafter in

His Barn.

WARSAW, Ind., Nov. 14.—Moses Dausman, about 50 years old, a well-known farmer residing two miles west of Milford Junction, took his own life on Wednesday morning by hanging himself from a rafter in the barn. He used an ordinary strap. His lifeless body was found by his wife, who went in search of him.

Mr. Dausman got up at the usual time on Wednesday morning and after breakfast, went to the barn to harness his team, explaining to his wife that he intended to do some work on the farm. At about 7:30 o'clock Mrs. Dausman discovered that her husband had failed to feed the pigs, and she went to the barn to see if he was still there. She noticed that the horses were harnessed with the exception of bridles. Upon closer investigation she discovered her husband's lifeless body hanging from a rafter by a strap. The one end of the strap was fastened to a rafter and the other end encircled his neck.

Stories about him which gained circulation in the neighborhood, worried Mr. Dausman and it is believed caused him to commit suicide. His wife declares that he had threatened to run away and on one occasion he said he believed the best way to get away from it all was to kill himself. He leaves no children.

NO DISEASE FOUND IN FULTON COUNTY

Dr. T. P. Cook is Named Deputy Veteri-

anarian—Dismiss Lar-

ceny Charge.

ROCHESTER, Ind., Nov. 14.—Dr. T. P. Cook of this city has been named deputy state veterinarian for Fulton county. No cases of the foot and mouth disease have been found here but there have been several false alarms.

Because Deputy Prosecutor C. A.

Davis filed a charge of larceny against John Doe when he knew the man's real name, the case was thrown out of circuit court here today. Thursday. The man was accused of stealing a gold watch from a prominent business man's office.

With a view of stopping the First National bank of this city from turning over valuable papers and cash to Mrs. Rose Mitchell, housekeeper for George Neff, a Rochester cripple who died Tuesday, leaving a small fortune, Lester Wilson his only heir under the law has asked a restraining order from the court. It is thought that Neff deeded his home property to Mrs. Mitchell for her services of the past three years. He left no will.

Erie officials Friday inspected the last link of the double tracking between Griffith, Ind., and Marion, O., the stretch lying between Akron and Laketon, just east of here. When this is put in use the Erie expects to put on a number of faster trains, both freight and passenger.

Mrs. Jane Arthur, whose husband divorced and remarried her within a year, has filed suit for divorce, alleging neglect.

BODY SHIPPED BY PARCEL POST

Ashes of Former DeKalb County

Woman Brought Back From

Oregon by Mail.

AUBURN, Ind., Nov. 14.—To deliver a parcel post package containing the last visible remains of a former DeKalb county lady was the experience of Thomas Abel, the rural route carrier on route 1 at St. Joe Tuesday.

Among the parcel post packages Mr. Abel found for delivery upon going to the office Tuesday, was a small container in which were the ashes of Mrs. Devitt Johnson, which had been mailed in Oregon. The package was addressed to Mrs. A. W. Dermott.

Mrs. Johnson lived at Newville and was better known to the older generation by her maiden name, Miss Minerva Ackley. Mrs. A. W. Dermott, to whom the package was addressed, is a cousin of the deceased lady. The ashes will be interred in the cemetery east of St. Joe.

BARNHART TO ADDRESS KNIFE AND FORK CLUB

Representative Added to Program for

Dinner Tuesday Evening—

Crepeau to Sing.

Two additions have been made to the program for the Knife and Fork club dinner Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. It was announced Saturday. Rep. Henry A. Barnhart, recently re-elected to represent the thirteenth district of Indiana in congress, will deliver an address and Elton Crepeau of South Bend will present vocal solos. Prof. Ferdinand Sheville of Chicago will discuss the European war and Ella Day, humorist, will entertain.

STATE BRIEFS.

ATTICA, Ind.—Mrs. Steward Miller, 50 years old, committed suicide at her home here by shooting herself. The body was found on a couch by a four-year-old daughter on returning from the home of a neighbor.

WINCHESTER, Ind.—Robert Horner, 50 years old, a farmer living near Lynn, was seriously injured when a tree fell across him, breaking his back. The accident occurred in his woods near his home, while he was sawing the tree.

RUSHVILLE, Ind.—James Harmon, a telephone lineman employed by the Rushville Cooperative Telephone Co., while trimming a tree south of here, sawed off a limb on which he was sitting between himself and the tree. Fortunately for Harmon, he was a creek below him and he fell 10 feet into the cold water over his head.

BRAZIL, Ind.—Earl Morris, 19 years old, committed suicide at his home in Staunton by shooting him-

self through the head with a shotgun. Owing to slack work in the mines he was unable to provide winter coal for his widowed mother.

BAD AXE, Mich.—Howard Harris, the nine-year-old son of E. E. Harris, a prominent farmer living near here, was accidentally shot and killed by his brother, 10 years old. The boys had been playing with a revolver which had been in the house for many years but which had never been loaded until a few weeks ago.

JASPER, Ind.—Horace M. Kean of Jasper is to receive the appointment of assistant attorney general of Indiana, according to an announcement made here Wednesday by Richard M. Milburn, attorney general-elect.

LANSING, Mich.—It is being suggested by J. T. Winslow, state fire marshal, that farmers living within a certain radius should install a fire fighting apparatus at some central point which would give them some fire protection.

Late News from Surrounding Towns

BERRIEN SPRINGS. Mrs. Robert Ingelright, with her little son Howard of Benton Harbor is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alta Smith, Virginia M. Dix of Detroit is a visitor at the home of her brother, George Kephart.

The Aid society of the M. E. church met Wednesday afternoon in the social rooms of the church.

Mrs. Ellen Dester has returned from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Bowen, in Chicago.

Major Murdoch circle, Ladies' of the G. A. R., held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the G. A. R. hall.

Mrs. H. A. Carr was a St. Joseph visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. William Stahl and Mrs. T. E. Patterson visited friends in South Bend, Thursday.

Mrs. Minnie McOmber is repairing her building on Ferry st., which has been used as an office for the Indiana & Michigan Electric Co.

Mrs. Valina Summers is confined to her home by illness.

Misses Blennie Dean and Ethel Ayers visited friends in St. Joseph, Thursday.

R. T. Moore, manager of the canning factory in Eau Claire, was a business visitor here Thursday.

J. W. Kelsey of Chicago is here for a few days' visit. He was accompanied by his wife and two children.

Mrs. George G. Gale visited friends in South Bend Wednesday.

Dr. W. A. Smith has purchased a new automobile—a five-passenger Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wager, who have been living in the William Pennell house opposite Sparks' lumber yard, have moved into rooms in the Charles Lockman house on Bluff st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ward have returned to their home in Menominee, Wis., after a visit of several weeks with relatives here.

The seventh and eighth grades will present a play, "The Courtship of Miles Standish", in the assembly room Saturday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Carr were visitors at the D. L. Ford home in the country Friday.

Abram Heaton is still enjoying ripe strawberries. Thursday he brought several boxes to his friends in town. Mr. Heaton has 500 plants of the Progeny and Super varieties.

Mrs. E. A. Ford is confined to her home by illness.

William F. Lyon was a business visitor in St. Joseph, Thursday.

Mrs. V. S. Weaver is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. D. Brown, in South Bend, this week.

PLYMOUTH. Mrs. E. J. Ball of Mishawaka, who has been visiting for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Prosper Ball, returned home Wednesday.

Rev. Logan continues to be quite ill. He is very weak and does not gain strength. He will not be able to fill his pulpit Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Moore has returned from a two weeks' stay with relatives at Pierceton.

John Staley left for Chicago, where he is taking treatment for cancer.

William Vanactor is visiting his brother Hubert at Laporte.

Mrs. S. J. Haag of Tyler is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Styles.

The Presbyterian missionary society met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Tank.

Mrs. Dr. Beck of Walkerton is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Charles Campbell, who has been visiting her mother, returned Thursday to her home at Glasgow, Mich.

Mrs. McGlennen left for South Bend Thursday morning to visit Mrs. Frank Sullivan until Sunday.

Augustus Selders died at his home in West township Wednesday at about 4 o'clock, 64 years old. Surviving are a wife and five children, all grown. He had been an invalid for four years. The funeral will be held at Trinity church Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

Miss Pearl Gottschalk was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower of about 50 of her friends Tuesday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Walter Kriehbaum. Miss Gottschalk will be wedded Saturday to Harley Sarker of Twin Lake.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will hold a market of home baked goods at Ferry Bros. meat market Saturday.

Curtis Hagg left Thursday morning for Champaign, Ill., to attend a homecoming of his class at the university.

Mrs. Day, mother of Rev. Day, rector of the Episcopal church, and his sister, Mrs. Rose, both of Chicago, are spending several days in the city.

Mrs. W. A. Roberts left for Ohio for a two weeks' visit.

Rev. E. C. Rhoads and granddaughter of Tyler were in our city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartle, formerly of Plymouth but now of Bluffton, are here for a short visit with friends.

Judge Hess returned from South Bend Wednesday evening, where he successfully conducted a will case.

Ed. Richard's mother of Michigan is visiting him for a few days.

THINK GANGSTERS HUNG
ONE OF OWN MEMBERS

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 14.—Henry Allen, whose body was found hanging to a tree near his home in Muhlenberg county, was killed by fellow members of the "Possum Hunters", according to a statement by the police today. Allen was under indictment for outrages charged to this secret organization, and the police believe the others indicted with him feared he would turn state's evidence.

TUMBLERS and GOBLETS. Closing out fifty dozen at half price, at C. J. Jewell.

MORE CASES ARE FOUND IN COUNTRY

Hogs at Notre Dame Are Suffering From Hoof and Mouth Disease and Are to Be Slaughtered.

New infections of the foot and mouth disease were discovered in a herd of 100 hogs and pigs at Notre Dame yesterday by Dr. E. R. McClure, U. S. inspector at New Carlisle, and the entire herd will be slaughtered early next week. Indications that the animals were suffering from the malady was the information given County Agent John S. Borden Friday morning and he immediately called Dr. McClure to investigate the report.

An examination of the herd revealed that 25 of the animals were infected with the disease, according to Dr. McClure. He stated that the animals will be killed as soon as trenches for their burial are completed, which probably will be Monday or Tuesday. Although the hogs were not at any time in contact with the cattle who contracted the disease at Notre Dame they were confined in an adjoining pasture and are believed to have become infected in this manner.

This discovery is the first that has been made in either St. Joseph or LaPorte counties during the past 10 days and it was believed that the disease was thoroughly stamped out. Officials are anxious that farmers and stock owners carefully watch the animals in order that the disease may be detected as soon as it appears. As several days are required for the development of the malady there is a probability that other herds of hogs may be infected. Every precaution in the way of fumigation and sanitation is being observed by the authorities in an effort to ward off any further outbreak of the epidemic.

Reports that "shunks" were attempting to sell farmers permits to move their produce, have been received by County Agent Borden. One farmer was approached by a man wishing to sell a permit during the early part of the week but no other instances have been learned thus far.

Mr. Borden urges that the farmers remember that the only legal permits being sold can be secured from his office at the court house.

THOUGHT SPEED LIMIT WAS 30 MILES AN HOUR

Youngful Offender is Given First S-

uspended Sentence for Defying

Speed Ordinance.

"Do you know what the speed limit in South Bend is?" asked Judge Warner of Robert Sumption, 204 E. Broadway, in city court Saturday morning. Sumption had been arrested by Motorcycle Patrolman Wesolick for riding a motorcycle on W. Colfax at a speed greater than that of 15 miles per hour. He is 16 years old.

"Why, yes, I think I do. It's 30 miles an hour, isn't it?" came the reply.

"Well, you'll have to get 'wised' up to the speed regulation of this city," said the judge. "The speed limit is 15 miles an hour, but on account of your youth and inexperience with a motorcycle, I will give you a suspended sentence of \$1 and costs."

It was the first occasion that Judge Warner suspended a fine for defying laws since he became city judge.

VARELLI FIRST SALOON MAN TO RECEIVE FINE

First of Alleged Hullinger-Winget

Victims Gets \$10 and Costs

in City Court.

Admitting that he had been employed by chief of police Kerr at the police department to seek evidence against certain saloonmen, and that he expected to receive remuneration for that service from the city, Henry Hullinger, 617 W. Colfax st., gave the testimony in city court Saturday which convicted John Varella, Emerick st., of selling liquor on Sunday. Varella was fined \$10 and costs, but the case was appealed to the superior court.

Hullinger and David Winget of River Park were the chief state witnesses against Varella. They stated that they had entered the saloon by a rear door and had purchased three bottles of beer and a bottle of whiskey. Hullinger asserted that he had purchased the liquor directly from Varella, but Winget's story contradicted that statement. The latter declared that he did not know just who the seller was, but that he was certain that it was not Varella.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PROPOSES SAFETY FIRST CAMPAIGN IN THIS CITY

After visiting approximately 200 cities, among them South Bend, in an effort to promote a nation-wide safety first movement, Frederick H. Elliott, general secretary of the Safety First Society of Greater New York, has returned to the city having collected a wide range of data regarding safety first campaigns and movements.

Elliott was in South Bend in October and talked at a safety first conference held under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce and also to the city board of safety. As a result of his nation-wide tour a large number of the cities are making plans or are conducting safety first campaigns.

When Elliott arrived in this city he furnished data showing that in Detroit, visited just before coming to South Bend, there were 515 accidents in 1913. The reports of auto and other accidents run high in South Bend for the last few months.

As compared with other cities. In the near future the local Chamber of Commerce will take up the matter of a safety first campaign. There have been three fatalities as the result of accidents in the last two weeks.

SALE NETS \$36. The Home Missionary society of Grace M. E. church which held a rummage sale last week in a store room on N. Birdsall st., cleared \$36 from the sale for the treasury of the society.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

A New---popular priced---Trunk

There is a New trunk being made—in Mishawaka—by the National Veneer Products Company. It is the N. V. P.

We have visited the factory and have seen the trunk—through its processes of construction—and firmly believe it to be the strongest made, most convenient and most attractive trunk—at a popular price—that we could secure to offer patrons.

Three styles are shown: Steamer, Dress and Wardrobe. Each trunk is fibre both inside and out, the outer surface being vulcanized fibre. Between the two fibres is a three-ply hard wood veneer. Therein lies N. V. P. strength.

By popular price—we mean—from 9.00 to 20.00 for a trunk of INDESTRUCTO caliber. Specials may be had on up to 32.50. Come to our second floor and see these new trunks.

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- at 1.19 yd. 50 inch Black Broadcloth—satin finish—worth at least 1.75 yard.
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DEATHS.

VIRGIN J. FETTERS.

Virgin J. Fetters, 14 days old, 1723 Marine st., died Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock after an illness of one day. She is survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Fetters. She was born in South Bend Oct. 30, 1914.

The funeral will be held at the residence Sunday afternoon. Burial will be in Riverview.

THELMA MUNCHOW.

Thelma May Munchow, one year and eight months old, 202 N. Studebaker st., died Friday evening at 6:15 o'clock following an illness of one week of pneumonia.

She is survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Munchow, and two brothers, Lewis and Frank. Funeral will be held at the residence on Monday at 2 o'clock.

BUY AT HOME WILL BE GROCERS' SLOGAN

Banquet Will be Staged to Show Peo-

ple Local Dealers Should

be Patronized.

It is expected that during the early part of next week committees from the Chamber of Commerce and the Retail Grocers' association will get together for the purpose of formulating plans for a dinner which it is proposed to have within the near future. These two organizations propose by a joint effort to convince the people of South Bend that it is to their best interests to buy all groceries from the local grocers. At the dinner which it is proposed to have plans will be formulated looking towards the thorough education of the people of the city along this line.

A committee composed of Messrs. Charles Brodbeck, L. H. Rulo, Delmer E. Baer, and J. A. Kauffer, was recently appointed by President H. F. Lang, of the Retail Grocers' association, for the purpose of making plans with the Chamber of Commerce. Reorganization of the Chamber of Commerce has necessitated some delay in the work proposed but there has been no abatement of zeal for the plan to show consumers that they can purchase products at home at as low a price as elsewhere.

Representatives of fraternal and social organizations in the city, as well as farmers, will be invited to the dinner which will be served in the tabernacle now being used by the Grace Methodist church on S. Michigan st.

SEEK HIGH PRIEST OF HOLY ROLLERS IN SLAYING

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Nov. 14.—Richard Harrington, high priest of the Holy Rollers, is sought by the sheriff as a witness into the death of the woman whose body was found weighted down with a stone in the Big Muddy river. The body fits the description of Mrs. Ethel Reeves McDaniels, sister-in-law of E. W. McDaniels, president of a wholesale grocery house here. Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves of Poplar Ridge, parents of Mrs. McDaniels, will arrive today to make the identification sure. Harrington is said to have been seen in a buggy with Mrs. McDaniels the night of her disappearance.

DRILL TEAM TO MEET.

Oliver Grove No. 12 drill team will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in W. O. W. hall for practice and all members of the team are urged to be present.

TO REORGANIZE LEAGUE

Girls to Play Series of Basketball

Games at Y. W.

The girls' Athletic league which last winter aroused so much interest, will be reorganized this winter at the Y. W. C. A. and preparations are already being made to stage another series of basketball games among teams representing the various Sunday schools of the city. Invitations have been sent to the Sunday schools to enter one or more teams for the contest and applications for membership in the league accompanied by the membership fee will be received at the Y. W. C. A. office up to Nov. 24.—The schedule of games, all of which will be played on Friday evenings, will be announced as soon as all registrations are received. The registration in the regular gymnasium class which meets Monday and Thursday evenings has grown to 25, and many visitors have taken advantage of the privilege to watch the class exercises from the balcony.

ST. JOSEPH COUNTY DEMOCRATS ELECTED TO OFFICE Nov. 3, will celebrate their recent sweeping victory by a banquet to be held at the Mishawaka hotel next Tuesday night. This banquet has been arranged for by the successful candidates who will have as their guests County Chairman Rudolph Ackermann and the county executive committee.

The number of invitations to the affair have been necessarily limited because of the lack of accommodations for all of the very large number of faithful workers who were instrumental in the work of bearing the party standard to victory.

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STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Steamers sailing today: Orduna, Liverpool; St. Paul, Liverpool; Stampalia, Naples; Menominee, London; Rochambeau, Havre.

Due to arrive today: Marken, from Rotterdam; Jomessboro, from Androsan; Kortener, from Cardiff; Janan, from Shields; Matanzas, from Rotterdam; Mizar, from Rotterdam; Kentucky, from Leith; Themiste, from Rotterdam; Alioth, from Rotterdam; Rosenberg, from Cardiff; Cadiz, from Cadiz; Kursk, from Glasgow; New York City, from Swan sea; Augusta, from Shields.

WILL BE GUESTS. The boys of the Studebaker, Linden, Lincoln, and Oliver schools will be entertained at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday evening. A contest between the boys of the different schools in numerous swimming "stunts" will feature the evening.

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